



PERINATAL INDICATORS	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Percent Change 1990-2000	State Rank 2000 (1=Best)
Number of Births	1498	1548	1521	1562	1505	1463	1509	1499	1477	1493	1497	-0.1%	N/A
Birth Rate (per 1,000 est. pop.)	13.4	13.7	13.1	13.3	12.6	12.4	12.7	12.4	12.0	12.0	11.8	-11.9%	35*

\*State Rank is ranked from highest to lowest with 1 being the highest rate.

Teen Birth Rate (per 1,000 females 10-14 years old)	a	-	a	-	a	a	1.3	a	a	a	a	-	-
Teen Birth Rate (per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	37.8	41.0	36.3	38.7	41.6	46.7	43.2	33.4	35.6	32.8	31.4	-16.9%	18
Percent Very Low Birth Weight	1.1	0.6	a	0.8	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.0	0.8	-27.3%	5
Percent Low Birth Weight	4.8	4.6	4.0	4.5	4.3	4.2	3.9	4.5	5.0	5.2	5.3	10.4%	11
Percent Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sub>d</sub>	75.3	76.1	76.6	77.1	77.5	77.2	79.5	81.7	73.0	74.8	73.5	-2.4%	45
Percent Late or No Prenatal Care <sub>d</sub>	4.0	4.1	3.8	4.5	4.1	4.4	4.3	2.7	5.1	4.7	5.0	25.0%	42
Percent Cesarean Births	19.4	19.3	17.0	19.1	17.7	17.3	17.4	19.4	20.0	18.6	20.1	3.6%	14
Number of Infant Deaths	10	8	4	11	9	8	7	5	5	2	6	-40.0%	N/A
Infant Death Rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.7	5.2	a	7.0	6.0	5.5	4.6	3.3	3.4	a	4.0	-40.3%	2
HIV Seroprevalence Rate (per 1,000) in Childbearing Women**	-	-	-	-	-	-	e	e	-	e	e	-	-

\*\* Percent change is for years 1990-1995 and State Rank is based on 1998 rate.

Percent of Women Breastfeeding at the Time of Hospital Discharge <sup>f</sup>	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Percent Change 1994-2000	State Rank 2000 (1=Highest)
Percent Exclusively Breastfeeding	73	70	71	73	75	76	74	1%	9
Percent with Any Breastfeeding	85	85	85	89	91	91	91	7%	11